IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Rainer Gloeckler and Arnold Meyer

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For: Method of producing aluminum hydroxides by precipitating aluminum salts in the presence of seed crystals

Art Unit No.: 1754

Confirmation No.: 7281

Examiner: Steven J. Bos

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 16, 2008, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.